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For : A NOVEL HERBAL COMPOSITION FOR THE TREATMENT OF

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Sir:

COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 19, 2008 OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This is a Response to an Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 19, 2008 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the March 19, 2008 Office Action was originally due on April 19, 2008. Applicants hereby requests a two month extension of time for responding to the March 19, 2008 Office Action. The required fee for a two month extension of time is FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS (\$460.00). A check in this amount is enclosed herewith. With a two-month extension of time, a response to the March 19, 2008 Office Action is now due on June 19, 2008. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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